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APPARATUS AND DATA SENDING APPARATUS  
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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Official Action of June 17, 2003,  
Applicant respectfully requests that the above-identified  
application be amended as follows.